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PROCLAMATION

TO THE HONORABLE SECRETARY OF STATE, AUSTIN, TEXAS:

I herewith hand you S. B. No. 338 passed by the last Legislature, to be deposited in your office in accordance with the Constitution, which I have this day disapproved and vetoed. This is the Confederate Pension law. My objection to this bill is that while it might reduce the amount of Confederate pensions monthly by approximately \$27,500.00, I am unwilling to compel Confederate Soldiers and their widows to surrender or reduce their pension at a time when it is most needed. While I am for economy, I do not want to have it at the expense of the school children or Confederate Soldiers and their dependents. The bill is, therefore, disapproved and vetoed.

DONE AT AUSTIN, TEXAS, this the 15th day of June, A. D. 1933.

*Miriam A. Ferguson*  
Governor of Texas